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CREAM OF NEWS.

IF IT IS NEW AND TRUE THIS COLUMN HAS IT.

Murder Trial Postponed—Little River Meeting—Supplemental Registration—Teachers Paid—Gov. Grown—Telephone—Campaign—Speaking—Courts.

Caldwell Circuit Court.

The fall term of Caldwell circuit court is being held in Princeton and the docket is a very large one. All ready for persons have been given terms in the penitentiary and the chances are good for more to follow. Frank Thomas, who has been in jail in this city for some time, for safe keeping, and who was arrested for complicity in the Howton assassination, was indicted for murder last Thursday, along with Jim Wither spoon and Glenn Steffy, and they were sent to jail to await their trial, which is set for to-day. The crime was the killing of Hewlett Howton several months ago.

Trial Postponed.

The examining trial of Sam Boyd and Joe Price, both colored, charged with the killing of Lewis Watkins last Thursday, was called Saturday, and continued until to-morrow morning. The trial was put off at the instance of the Commonwealth, in order that the Todd county witness could be summoned to appear. It is now understood that Watkins was murdered by one of them, but which one is a matter of doubt, as each accused the other and there were no eye witnesses.

The Little River Meeting.

The protracted meeting at Little River Baptist church is growing in interest. Up to Sunday there had been 8 conversions and 2 additions to the church. Rev. C. E. Perryman is assisting the pastor, Rev. A. W. Meacham, and doing the preaching in a most acceptable manner. He is gaining for himself a warm place in the affections of his hearers. The meeting will continue throughout this week. The house is packed at every service and much interest has been aroused under Mr. Perryman's powerful sermons.

Cadiz Council Ticket.

The Telephone says a citizens' meeting met and nominated a non-partisan ticket for the town election in Cadiz. The following gentlemen were named for councilmen: Jno. G. Jefferson, C. H. Hawkins, Jas. Pursley, E. L. Hancock, C. R. Sumner and T. J. Malone. The latter declined to run. Esq. Hancock was nominated for police judge.

Will Not Return to Henderson.

LOUISVILLE Oct. 25.—A dispatch from Frankfort to-day states that Gov. Jno. Young Brown has fully determined to take up his residence in this city as soon as his present term of office expires, Dec. 10. He will enter the practice of law Jan. 1, 1896. The family of the governor will take up their quarters in Louisville, Dec. 1.

Don't Shoot Yet.

For the benefit of those who are not familiar with the game laws, we will state that the bird law has not yet expired. You are not permitted to shoot or trap partridges until Nov. 15. From that date until Jan. 1, they may be killed or captured. Birds are said to be very scarce and the fact is not encouraging to sportsmen. Rabbits are reported very plentiful.

Death from Heart Disease.

Mr. L. Law, an L. N. engineer, died Friday night in the caboose of a freight train, while it was standing in the yards at Russellville. He was 42 years old and died of heart disease. He lived in Bowling Green, and was enroute home from Paris, Tenn., when death occurred.

Dr. Clardy to Speak.

Dr. Jno. D. Clardy will deliver an address at the court house at 10 o'clock p. m. Monday, Nov. 4th. Dr. Clardy has several appointments in Hopkins county this week. He spoke in Owensboro and one or two other places in Daviess last week.

Yesterday's Registration.

Up to 2 p. m. yesterday 42 names had been added to the registration lists at the County Clerk's office. Of these 24 were Democrats and 18 Republicans. To-day and to-morrow will be the last days.

Bought a Farm.

Mr. Chas. W. Hagen, the popular young painter, has bought Mr. Henry Hartman's farm near this city, paying for it \$3,500. Mr. Hartman continues in very bad health.

Finley Didn't Come.

Chas. Finley, Republican candidate for Secretary of State, did not fill his appointment to speak here yesterday. Judge W. H. Holt is expected to speak to-day.

DEATHS.

FEARS.—An infant of Mr. N. P. Fears died in the city Sunday afternoon.

ROPER.—The year-old baby of Mr. and Mrs. Henry R. Roper, formerly of this city, died Friday, after a short illness.

TORIAN.—Mr. Sam'l Torian, a young farmer near Newstead, died of typhoid fever Friday, aged about 25 years.

SEVERIN.—Mrs. Severin, a sister of Messrs. John and James D. Hill, of this city, died at her home in Dixon, Ky., Thursday. The brothers attended her funeral, which occurred Friday.

MOORE.—Robt. Moore died of consumption Friday at the asylum, aged about 45 years. The remains were taken to Fredonia, his home, for interment, Saturday.

HANNAH.—Dr. John Wesley Hannah, one of the oldest divines in the Tennessee Methodist conference, died Friday, in Clarksville, aged 85 years. Death was due to bronchitis. Dr. Hannah entered the ministry when only 18 years of age and was known all over the State at that time, as "the boy preacher."

Mr. R. L. Shelby, of Louisville, who three months ago married Miss Lula Ricketts, of Princeton, died of heart failure at the Fifth Avenue Hotel on the 22nd inst. Mrs. Shelby was quite ill with nervous prostration in another room at the hour of her husband's death. His remains were brought to Eddyville for interment. —Cadiz Telephone.

LAYNE.—Mr. Benjamin Layne, one of the oldest citizens of the Fairview neighborhood, died last Thursday, after an illness of more than a year. Several months ago Mr. Layne suffered a paralytic stroke, and never recovered from the shock. He was a man of wide acquaintance and liked by all who knew him. Deceased was 84 years old and was an uncle of Messrs. C. H. and Henry Layne, of this city.

The funeral services were held at his late residence, two miles South of Fairview, Friday morning, a large number of sorrowing friends being present. The interment took place at the family burying ground.

JESUP.—Mr. Thos. S. Jesup died at the home of his brother-in-law, Mr. W. S. Davison, at 9:15 o'clock Sunday evening. He was born in December 1851 and was consequently nearly 44 years of age. His complaint was a stomach trouble called colitis by his physician. He was taken sick a week before and grew constantly worse until the end came, in spite of all that could be done by his physician.

Mr. Jesup was the oldest son of the late Jas. E. Jesup and was unmarried. He was a man of superior intelligence and a graduate of Emory college, in which institution he completed the course in five languages—English, Latin, Greek, German and French. In Greek he took the honors of a class of twelve. His intention was to engage in teaching, but after a few years experience he acquired a dislike to school room confinement and engaged in active business. For the last five or six years he had been in the transfer business, of which he made quite a success. He possessed unbounded energy and industry and his close attention to his business was proverbial.

He was a good business man and a clever gentleman, who was much esteemed by a large circle of friends. His nearest relatives are his brother, Mr. Jas. G. Jesup, and three married sisters.

The funeral services were held from Mr. Davison's residence yesterday afternoon, by Revs. S. N. Veil and R. S. Carter. Interment in the city cemetery.

Uncle Minor's Stories.

The matter for this book of interesting stories and valuable lessons for young and old is now in the hands of the printers. The book is under contract to appear by December 10, 1895. It will be printed in elegant style, handsomely bound and profusely illustrated. It will contain about 250 pages, and will sell \$1 per copy except a few extra white finished copies, silver embossed, with name of purchaser, at \$2 per copy. It will be an unfailing source of amusement to the smaller children and an exhaustless store of religious instruction of the whole family. It will be especially suitable both in matter and ornamental appearance for presents to young or old. Every family should have a copy. From the number of people who have already ordered copies of this forthcoming book in advance from all parts of the country, it seems not improbable that there will be a rush in the advanced demand for the first edition. All orders will be filed as they are received and filled by turn in the order they come in as soon as the book is ready to mail. If you want a copy, please send your order at once to V. M. METCALFE, Hopkinsville, Ky.

The Clarksville Times complains that the roads in that village are very dusty.

WAT WILL WIN.

THE SUCCESS OF THE DEMOCRATIC STATE TICKET ASSURED.

Rousing Speeches at Lexington and Other Points—The General Political Outlook.

LEXINGTON, Ky., October 23.—When General P. Wat Hardin arose to address an audience which filled from pit to dome the Auditorium, that element of Democracy which has joined the Republicans in howling calamity to the State Democratic ticket were completely astounded. They had expected but a handful to hear the man whose chances for the gubernatorial chair of this Commonwealth are growing brighter as the election day draws nearer.

General Hardin devoted his entire attention to Bardley and a denial of the statements which the Republican head of the ticket has made in recent speeches regarding alleged Democratic misrule and the pilfering of the State Treasury by Democratic Judges in allowing witness claims in mountain counties. He proved conclusively that the claims were allowed by Republicans Judges. He stated that not one dollar of the state's funds had been misappropriated under Democratic domination, save that which Dick Tate took, and that more than one half that amount had been recovered.

He expressed himself as thoroughly confident of the success of the state ticket on the 5th of November, and asserted that the currency question would cut but little figure in the result. His speech was well received. To-morrow morning at 8 o'clock General Hardin accompanied by Messrs. Caruth, Breckinridge and Berry and a multitude of citizens from all parts of the Lexington and Eastern Railroad to Natural Bridge, where a big barbecue and political gathering will be held.

A MOUNTED BAND.

The Democratic gubernatorial candidate has just returned from a long trip through the mountains of Eastern Kentucky, where he frequently made two speeches a day. For a time General Hardin had a mounted brass band and took musicians around through the mountains with him. As they rode along through the rough mountain passes the band would play, probably the first music the natives had ever heard. The mountaineers would come out to see what the strange noise meant, would quickly saddle their horses and join the procession to the point where the next speech was to be held.

Everywhere he went in the mountains he was surprised at the public sentiment in his favor, and he says he and his ticket will get a bigger vote than the mountains ever gave any Democratic candidate. Some few years ago the Legislature did some gerrymandering of the mountain counties in order to throw the bulk of the Republican counties into the Eleventh Congressional District and make the Tenth Democratic by a few hundred majority on

CLOSE ORGANIZATION.

The plan worked well at first, and Mr. Kendall, and his son after his death, were elected to Congress. But last fall the district went wrong and piled up a considerable majority for the Republican candidate for Congress. General Hardin has made a very careful personal survey of most of the counties in this district, and he says he really believes he will carry the counties of the district by a majority of 2,000. If he does this, politicians say, it means a state majority of fully 20,000 for Hardin and the Democratic ticket.

The situation is bright everywhere, says General Hardin; the Democrats are aroused and earnest and enthusiastic, the Republicans are rattled, dazed and ready to run, and to the Democratic gubernatorial candidate there is an unmistakable smell of victory in the air he every day breathes.

Bamberger, Bloom & Co. Fail.

A sensation was created in Louisville Saturday by the assignment of the large wholesale dry goods house of Bamberger, Bloom & Co., for \$1,200,000, with assets supposed to be about the same. The Nathan Bloom and J. F. Bamberger estates and Levi Bloom and Julius Bamberger, of Louisville, and Levi Bamberger, of New York, were the partners. The Louisville banks are caught for \$100,000. Eastern houses are the largest creditors.

Big Fire at Owensboro.

The large country residence of Mrs. Sallie M. Deane, near Owensboro, was burned Friday. The loss was \$15,000, partially insured.

The Teachers Made Happy.

Miss Katie McDaniel has received the 40 per cent. of school money due the County teachers and is now distributing it to them for the first two months of their work.

POT-POURRI.

SOMETHING OF POLITICS, PLATFORMS AND PENALTIES.

Bradley's Swing Around the Circle Suggests Thoughts About Depot Crowds—The Taylors and Their Coming Engagement—A Heavy Penalty.

Bob and Alf Taylor will be here Thursday night and they will draw like a porous plaster. This capital "attraction," was secured by Manager Galbreath, of Holland's opera house, but in order to give everybody a chance to hear these distinguished brothers, an arrangement has been made by which they will appear at the tabernacle instead of the opera house.

The entertainment they will give is one that must be seen and heard to be properly appreciated. It is hard to tell exactly what it is. The newspapers are not agreed as to what it is. One calls it "A Monte Cristo collaboration of new ideas," another "A symposium of patriotic eloquence," and still another "A patternless mosaic of rhetorical vagaries." No matter what it is, the public is waiting with impatience for it. Bob Taylor has visited Hopkinsville several times and is without doubt the prime favorite with everybody. No lecturer,—and many of the best on the platform have been here—has such a hold on Hopkinsville people as Bob Taylor. He never fails to draw a tremendous crowd and it is not recorded that he ever failed to please even the most exacting of his hearers. This time his brother Alf, the Republican ex-congressman who was beaten by Bob for governor of Tennessee in their memorable race nine years back, will come to divide the honors with Bob. It will be his first appearance, and mingled with the pleasure of welcoming the return of one is the expectant curiosity of seeing and hearing the other.

Those who hear them will be expected to pay \$1 for reserved seats, 75 cents for general admission and 50 cents for gallery seats. Tickets may be had at Elgin's drug store.

Bradley is devoting the last days of his campaign to traveling about over the state on a Pullman Palace car and orating to the crowds he catches hanging around the depots. He ought by all means to give Hopkinsville a chance to furnish a crowd of this sort. It is a fact often commented on by strangers and visitors that Hopkinsville turns out the biggest crowds of any city in Kentucky to meet the incoming trains. These crowds are due in a great measure to the large amount of travel to and from Hopkinsville. People go to the trains to meet expected visitors or to speed the parting guests, or to mail letters, to get papers, etc., etc., and often a great many go to the same trains on the same business. But by far the greater portion of the habitual crowd is composed of idlers and loafers, who go solely from curiosity and from force of habits formed years ago. These people have no business to take them, and yet their faces are seen day after day and year after year until the traveling public becomes wearied with the awful monotony of looking at them. It is from this class that Bill Bradley imagines he can make votes, by delivering bombastic harangues to them and making a fool of himself by thanking them for turning out en masse to give him an ovation. These standing audiences, ready made and waiting for anything from a Republican candidate for governor to an elephant, that may happen to pass through the town, are impartial in the enthusiasm they display. No matter whether the attraction is a titmouse or a circus, a negro excursion or a newly married couple, they are there just the same to see it in and to see it off. Come this way, by all means, Bill. We have a crowd both "large and enthusiastic" always on hand and there is no ordinance to prohibit your speaking on the street or on the platform, unless you try to sell something without city license. Of course it must be understood that you sell the crowds who listen to your stale charges of rascality, but that doesn't count. By-the-way, Bill, when you stop here, be careful what you say about "official corruption." Some of your chief followers here are a little tender-footed on that subject.

Hello! New York.

The long distance telephone connections are expected to be made this week and then Hopkinsville can talk to New York and other eastern cities a thousand miles away.

New Postmaster Appointed.

J. H. Hancock was appointed postmaster at Sallineburg, Trigg county, Saturday, vice J. H. Francis, resigned.